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BISMARCK'S POOL.

The Power of the Triple Alliance Illustrated in Recent Events on the Continent.

An Effort to be Made to Induce Spain to Join the Combine of the Great Powers.

Should it Succeed, France Will Have to Forego Her Revenge for Many Years—Foreign Notes.

Copyright, 1889, by the N. Y. Associated Press. Berlin, Aug. 10.—Among the first fortunate fruits of England's attachment to the triple alliance are the cessation of the Servo-Bulgarian preparations and the simultaneous suspension of the Cretan rising. The swiftness of the combined diplomatic action of England, Germany, Austria and Italy upon the Cretan question as pronounced by the Greek note to the powers is the result of a previous understanding of the powers with Turkey on united action in the east. The Greek note which threatened an intervention in Crete, inspired as it was by Russia, met with a decisive response from four powers within two days. A semi-official article in the Journal de St. Petersburg admits the promptitude of the decision of the powers has prevented the movement from assuming proportions which would menace the peace of Europe. These diplomatic successes inspire the foreign office here with brighter hopes of drawing Spain into the league. The Italian government having better relations with the Spanish court than Germany, has been entrusted with the carrying on of the negotiations at Madrid, and sends Signor Cialdini as special envoy. If Signor Cialdini succeeds in perfecting an arrangement similar to that with England, Prince Bismarck will have no ringed France with a circle of powers hostile to a war of revenge as to guarantee a permanent peace and a probable reduction in armaments. Emperor William and Prince Henry arrived at Wilhelmshaven this afternoon, and immediately went by special train to Berlin. Emperor Francis Joseph's arrival is timed for Monday at 4 p. m. The ceremonial of his reception will be the most magnificent since the death of King Humbert's, although he has asked on account of his recent affliction a very quiet welcome. Popular curiosity is not excited by the visit, public interest being centered in the czar's coming, which is now fixed for the 29th inst. It is doubtful if the czar will enter Berlin, although the morbid dread of facing a crowd prevents a visit to the capital. The Freie Zeitung, referring to the statement of Gen. Boulanger that he used the secret fund to buy the right to inspect the papers of the military attaché of the German legation at Paris, caught a clerk in the act of copying the documents. This is the only foundation for the sensational story. Delegates from one hundred and sixty-three mines met at Bochum to-day and decided to send a representative to the Silesian mine to arrange for concerted action. The authorities disavow coalition, but the project promises to succeed. The chief of the Bavarian socialists have called a national assembly at Nuremberg to organize for the electoral campaign.

WASHINGTON'S WAY.

Telegraph and Telephone Companies Declared to be Common Carriers.

OLYMPIA, W. T., Aug. 10.—The convention to-day declared telegraph and telephone companies to be common carriers, and subject to the action of the state legislature. The section establishing a railroad commission of three to be appointed by the governor and confirmed by the senate was defeated. The committee on tide water proposed to create a commission to lay a harbor line at a point in front of all municipalities where the water is twenty-four feet deep at low water, and they propose to reserve the distance between this line and the shore for wharf and other similar purposes, the fee simply to remain in the state. A beautiful banner bearing the coat of arms of George Washington was submitted to the convention with the suggestion that the banner be used by the committee on tide water. An article passed giving the legislature the power to pass homestead laws and also another declaring that the state of the state belong to the people for irrigation, mining and manufacturing purposes. The convention also adopted the educational article.

President and Secretary.

BAR HARBOR, Me., Aug. 10.—President Harrison went for a sail to-day, the guest of Secretary and Mrs. Blaine. The passenger steamer Sappho, which usually plies between the Mount Desert ferry and Bar Harbor, had been selected, and it carried nearly a hundred ladies and gentlemen, who went partly around the island and into some Sound with the president, by invitation of the secretary of state. After dinner to-night the president and Blaine went to a reception which the Kebo Valley club gave. Following the reception came dancing. Seven hundred and fifty people were present.

To Meet on the Field of Honor.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 10.—Patrick Calhoun, a grandson of John C. Calhoun and counsel for the West Point Terminal Co., and J. D. Williamson, president of the Chattanooga, Rome & Columbus railroad, left here last night to fight a duel. It is the result of a quarrel on railroad matters before the state legislature. The outcome of the meeting is not known.

Not Tascot.

EMPORIA, Kas., Aug. 10.—The young man arrested at Laredo, Tex., supposed to be Tascot is believed here to be one of the sons of James Dolphin, of Concord, Kas. The suspect gave his name as Dolphin, of Concord. James Dolphin to-day said he had two sons in the railroad business in Texas, one of whom might be taken for Tascot. He believes it is one of his sons who is under arrest.

Rattled the Dishes.

SARATOGA, Aug. 10.—A shock of earthquake of forty-five seconds duration was felt in the Adirondacks at 8:40 a. m. to-day. The dishes rattled and buildings shook in at least a dozen places. The motion was from east to west, but too late to accompany the shock and was very distinct and sharp. The shock was particularly sharp at Warrensburg.

BUSINESS IN TENTS.

Spokane Merchants Doing a Brisk Trade With Poor Facilities.

SPokane Falls, Aug. 10.—[Special to the Independent.]—The earnest efforts of the past six days have wrought a wonderful change in Spokane Falls. Amid the towering ruins stand many tents in all possible shapes and colors, occupied by bustling business men, who are driving a brisk trade; while many others are located on the sidewalks. One liquor saloon is located in the street, dealing out the beverage over a row of barrels for a counter. There is no shelter over this novel bar, save the blue canopy of heaven, and a placard is displayed: "This free-living was done by the greatest artist in the universe." The streets presented to-day an animated appearance, greatly resembling a fair. Every available workman in the city is employed and there is room for more. Contracts have been let for a large number of buildings, many of five stories, and preparations are progressing for many more. Telegrams are pouring in from all quarters assuring the business men that their credit has not been impaired by this calamity and expressing unlimited confidence in the continued prosperity of the city, even on a more substantial basis than before. Supplies and money are coming in by every train and the relief committee is judiciously supplying all worthy applicants. Some imposition has been practiced, but the committee is working upon the theory that it is better to err on the side of mercy, if they err at all, and consequently great liberality is practiced. All able-bodied men who apply for assistance are offered employment, and if they refuse to work they are ordered to leave the city. There is no rowdiness and very little stealing. A safe was found a mile and a half outside the city limits, broken open and empty. A detail of militia investigated and were convinced it had been carried away by safe agents, presumably to prevent inspection. It was concealed in a hole on the prairie. Real estate sales for the past week aggregate over \$500,000.

THE HORSE STEALING INDUSTRY.

A Combine Which Extends From Pierre, Dak., to Great Falls.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 10.—The Globe prints the following from Lamoure, N. D.: A gigantic horse stealing industry is thought to have been established in the coteaus along the Missouri river. Different parties take old, decrepit horses out among the hills, which are totally uninhabited, and any strays that may be around will come to these horses, when they are caught and sent to other parties connected with gang, and soon they will have the horses hundreds of miles from where picked up and then offer them for sale with safety. The facts lead to the belief that this organization leads from Pierre, South Dakota, to Great Falls, Mont., and probably to the British possessions.

Egan at Valparaiso.

VALPARAISO, Chile, Aug. 10.—Minister Egan was presented to the president of Chile to-day. "I am glad to know," said minister Egan to the president, "that Chile has already decided to be represented at the commercial congress to assemble in Washington city in October next. It will give to the people of South America an opportunity of becoming better acquainted with each other's opinions, aspirations, productions and requirements, and by creating and fostering closer commercial relations must tend to their mutual advancement and serve the best interests of the south."

What Irrigation Will Do.

BISMARCK, Dak., Aug. 10.—Major Powell, of the senate irrigation committee, advised the tank system in irrigation in Dakota. A pond on every farm where practicable that will catch the storm water and store it until the water is needed. He says that a twenty acre tank filled with water to the depth of ten feet will irrigate 300 acres of land and increase the value of the land from 300 to 400 per cent. "If we irrigate we would never need fertilizers, and we might crop the land without rotation for 200 years. Water in this case is a fertilizer and the land can never be exhausted where irrigation is practiced."

Another Fight in Prospect.

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe issued a new tariff this morning on through business from points west of the Missouri river. This tariff is applicable only to its western extension from Kansas City, the Chicago, Santa Fe & California. This means that it will not divide its business from points west of the Missouri river with any other road between Kansas City and Chicago. A big fight will probably result.

In Favor of the Bank.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—In the superior court Judge Hogue yesterday decided the suit of the United States vs. Chapman in favor of the Bank of California. The case arose out of the great wheat deal of Isaac Friedlander ten years ago. Action was commenced for the purpose of redeeming certain lands which Chapman & Friedlander conveyed to the bank as security for indebtedness on notes amounting to over \$700,000 with interest at ten per cent. About \$1,500,000 was involved in the suit.

Gave Themselves Up.

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—MacGrath and Mantell, two young men supposed to be the murderers of Officer Fry, walked into the Dearing street station, this afternoon, and gave themselves up. They protest emphatically that they know nothing whatever of the murder. They undoubtedly will receive a course of "sweet-box" treatment.

How the Banks Stand.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—The bank statement shows a reserve decrease of \$1,428,000. The banks now hold \$6,798,125 in excess of the rule.

New York Wants the Show.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—Mayor Grant has appointed the four committees to do preliminary work for the international exposition in 1892.

FOR THE SPORTS.

The Winners on the Closing Day of the Lake Calumet Regatta at Pullman, Ill.

New Yorkers Get Away With the Big Prizes, But Salt Lake Is Not Left.

Result of the Races at Monmouth Park—Yesterday's League Games—Standing of Clubs to Date.

PULLMAN, Ill., Aug. 10.—At the closing races of the Lake Calumet regatta to-day, New York again carried off the honors, the Atlantas proving the victor over Toronto in the senior four-oared scull race. Dennis Donahue, of Hamilton, also added to his laurels by his mastery rowing in the senior singles.

The first event of the day was to row off the tie race between the Bayides, of Toronto, and the Metropolitans, of New York. John Gray, the bow of the Bayides, was too ill to start with his crew, and they allowed the contest to go to the Metropolitans by default.

First race, junior singles—Starters, D. W. Shea, Boston; F. C. Avery, Chicago; C. A. Gormally, Toronto; J. Lovell, Hamilton; Roger Cregier, Chicago; N. A. Eveson, St. Louis; R. W. Hills, Chicago; E. Fraser, Chicago. Shea had a lead of two lengths nearing the close, but Lovell and Gormally, spurring, lessened it nearly half. Lovell finished second, only a trifle before Gormally. Time 11:42.

Junior double—Starters, the St. Pauls, of St. Paul, Owasston, of Grand Rapids, Catlin, Chicago, Minneapolis, of St. Paul, Garfield Beach, of Salt Lake. The race was a pretty struggle between the St. Pauls and Minnesota. The others were far in the rear. St. Paul turned first, but it was nip and tuck all the way back, St. Paul by a final spurt winning by two lengths. Time 10:36.

And back senior four oared shells. The Toronto and Atlantas entered and the powerful and steady work by which the New Yorkers left Boston in the lurch yesterday accomplished the same result to-day with the Canadian crew. Throughout the contest the Atlantas pulled about an even 34 stroke to the minute, while the Torontos, starting with a ragged, splashing 38 stroke, exhausted themselves in the half of the race. Time, Atlantas, 9:58.

Fourth race, senior double—Starters, Metzger, of St. Louis, J. Donahue, of Toronto, Kilby, of Ottawa, Ryan, of Toronto, Eveson, of St. Louis, Muchmore, of Minneapolis, McDowen, of Chicago, D. Donahue, of Toronto, the favorite. D. Donahue and Ryan had a lead of two lengths in advance of McDowen, who preceded Kilby by a length. Time 10:48.

Sixth race, senior double—Starters, Metropolitans, New York, Catlin, Chicago, Sylvans, Moline. The Sylvans were too badly handicapped, however, to win. The Metropolitans crossed the line first, two lengths before the Sylvans, who beat the Catlins by a similar distance. Time 10:04.

Seventh race, six-oared barge—Starters: Pullmans, Iroquois, of Chicago, Westerns, of St. Louis. Such favorites were the Westerns that no money could be had against them. The Iroquois gave St. Louis a hot race, finishing second by a short time. The Pullmans were a poor third. Time, 4:34.

Races at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, Aug. 10.—Three quarters of a mile—Volante won, Minnie Palmer second, Teuton third. Time 1:20. Three quarters of a mile—Duke of Highland won, Brown Prince second, Sun Light third. Time 1:15. Mile and a furlong—Kingston won, Lavina second. Time 2:01. Mile and five furlongs—Hanover won, Montrose second. Time 2:57. Five furlongs—Judge Morrow won, Fellowship second, Garoga third. Time 1:06.

Five furlongs—O'Cyte won, Pratemus second, Lordike third. Time 1:06. Mile—Dalesman first, McCauley second, Vigilante third. Time 1:40.

Monmouth Park Races.

MONMOUTH PARK, Aug. 10.—The weather was oppressive. It rained very hard this morning and the track in consequence was damp and heavy, but not very holding.

One mile—Emotion won in 1:50; Endurer second, Niagara third.

Three-fourths of a mile—Onaway won in 1:20; Cayuga second, Banquet third.

One mile and a fourth—Gallop won in 2:20; Zephyrus second, Newcastle third.

One mile and a half—Tenny won in 2:45; J. A. B. second, Tom Boy third.

Five furlongs—Judge Morrow won, Fellowship second, Garoga third. Time 1:06.

One mile and a sixteenth—Vendetta won in 1:50; Housatonic second, Brynwood third.

Five-eighths of a mile—Britannic won in 1:04; Volunteer second, Fred D third.

The League Games.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 10.—The batting by the home team won to-day's game. Score—Cleveland, 10; Philadelphia, 5. The batteries were for Cleveland, Beatin and Sutcliffe; for Philadelphia, Sanders, Buffinton and Clements.

EACH WON A GAME.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 10.—Pittsburg and Washington played two games to-day. The first one was a pitchers' battle, in which the home team was unable, at a critical time, to bring in the winning run. In the second, Sullivan's very wild pitching and lucky hitting by the home team, decided the contest in the latter's favor. Staley was hit hard in the eighth, but too late to overcome the lead. Score, first game—Pittsburg, 1; Washington, 2. The batteries were for Pittsburg Sowders and Miller;

for Washington, Haddock and Daily. Second game—Pittsburg, 8; Washington, 5. The batteries were for Pittsburg, Staley and Miller; for Washington, Sullivan and Mack.

THE GIANTS WIN.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 10.—Both the Giants and Hoosiers took turns at knocking the pitcher out of the box today, and Koch and O'Day retired after five innings. The Giants had the best of it, however, and won an easy victory. Score—Indianapolis, 6; New York 9. Batteries were Anderson, Koch and Summers, O'Day, Welch and Ewing.

A RAGGED GAME.

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—To-day's game was a very ragged one, both teams fielding loosely. The pitchers' work was not much better. Score—Chicago, 6; Boston, 9. The batteries were for Chicago, Healy and Farrell; for Boston, Madden, Kelly and Ganselle.

Standing of League Clubs to Date.

CLUB	WON	LOST	PERCENT
Boston	12	12	50
New York	11	10	52
Philadelphia	9	17	34
Chicago	47	29	54
Indianapolis	43	44	49
Pittsburg	36	42	46
Washington	35	52	40
St. Louis	27	53	33

Association Games.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 20; Baltimore, 0. At Kansas City—Kansas City, 6; Columbus, 1. At Louisville—Athletics, 11; Louisville, 9. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 2.

THE LIVINGSTON FIRE.

The Business Section of the City Luckily Saved From Destruction.

LIVINGSTON, Aug. 10.—[Special to the Independent.]—Had there been a stiff breeze blowing from the east during the fire early this morning, the entire business portion of Livingston would to-day have been in ashes; but fortunately for the city this was not the case. There was no wind to speak of and what there was came from the west. About 2 o'clock this morning an alarm of fire was given by the engines blowing their whistles in the Northern Pacific yards and soon afterwards the opera house on B street, the pride of the city, was ablaze. The fire soon spread to three frame dwellings adjoining and it was through the great efforts of the citizens and especially of members of the city council, who were all on hand, and worked in a body, that the fire was prevented from reaching the building on the opposite side of the street, and Gordon Bros' lumber yard and the building on the corner of B and Calender streets.

The fire started in a small building immediately back of the opera house, and is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. The opera house was the property of Wetzel and Joy. The building was purchased by these gentlemen only a few months ago, had been removed, dismantled and refitted throughout, and was a creditable structure in every particular. The loss on this building is about \$7,500; insurance \$2,500. The other losses are as follows: Gordon Bros, frame dwelling, loss \$800; insurance \$400; Mrs. A. L. Love, frame dwelling, loss \$1,200; no insurance; Frank White, dwelling, loss \$1,200; insurance \$400.

AFTER THE KING.

An Insurrection in Honolulu Which Came to Naught.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—The steamer Alameda, that arrived Friday from Australia, brings news of a daring though futile insurrection in Honolulu July 30. Two half-breed Hawaiians, Robert W. Wilcox and Robert Boyd, who had been sent to the government's expense to be educated at the Italian military school, have been plotting an insurrection for some time, but the rumors were little heeded until the movement culminated in an armed band of about 120 native Hawaiians marching from Palama, a distance of two miles, and securing an entrance to the palace grounds at Honolulu. The king was absent from the palace at the time. The alarm was sent him by telephone. The royal party then hastened to the king's boat house, where they remained during the day. Meanwhile the rebels summoned Lieut. Parker to surrender the palace, but that officer refused to surrender, although repeated demands were made by Wilcox.

After an hour's bombardment the rioters rushed from the building waving a white sheet upon a pole and shouting, "Peace," "Surrender." The gates were thrown open, and a force of volunteers entered and took all of the rioters prisoner. Among those opposed to the rioters the only casualty was a wound in the shoulder received by Lieut. Parker, and it is supposed that it was from a shot fired by Wilcox. On the side of the rioters there were seven natives killed and twelve wounded. From remarks of passengers on the Alameda it seems it had been arranged to have 400 or 500 more persons participate in the insurrection, among them some of the best people both among the whites and natives. Letters were taken from Wilcox which led to the arrest of several well-known people, among them, it is said, J. E. Brown, editor of a Hawaiian newspaper. The general impression is the leaders of the riot will never be convicted, as they will demand a jury trial by natives, and the majority of these are in sympathy with the movement.

No Indian Outrages in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—Adjutant-General Kelton received a telegram from Gen. Miles at San Francisco, informing him that the commanding general of the department of Columbia has received a dispatch from Capt. Kuhn, of the Fourth infantry, who was sent with his company to Calispel, W. T., to investigate the reports of Indian outrages. Capt. Kuhn reports under date of Aug. 7, that there were no hay stacks burned and no threats made by the Indians. Some land was burned over, but there is no reason to think the fire was started by the Indians. Capt. Kuhn has been ordered back to Fort Spokane.

Fell 700 Feet.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 10.—Prof. W. K. Perry ascended in a balloon yesterday 700 feet. The balloon burst and began to fall, gradually accelerating its speed. Perry struck the ground with a crash and many bones were broken. It is believed that he cannot recover.

FATAL FREE FIGHT

Battle Between a Sheriff and Lumber Company Employes, in Which Two Lives are Lost.

John Henning, a Painter, Disappointed in Love, Uses a Gun With Fearful Results.

Two Men, Supposed to be Train Robbers, Kill a Porter on the Iron Mountain Road in Arkansas.

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—A special to the Inter Ocean from Frankfort, Mich., says a terrible encounter occurred in Otter Creek this morning, in which Chas. T. Wright, president of the Otter Creek Lumber company, of Racine, Wis., shot and instantly killed Deputy Sheriff Neal Marshall and Dr. Frank P. Thurber. Wright had failed to pay certain taxes and the sheriff attached a lot of logs. It is thought Wright, with a force of men, attempted to regain possession, and in the melee Thurber was killed first and the marshal soon afterwards. It is rumored over sixty men were engaged in the affray and others may have been wounded. The propeller Delaware with a force of officers is leaving for Otter Creek to capture Wright dead or alive. It is said Wright has escaped on a barge and departed for the Wisconsin shore.

Murder and Suicide.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 10.—This afternoon a painter named John Henning entered the candy store of John S. Pellers and after a short conversation with Mrs. Pellers he drew a revolver and placing the muzzle behind her left ear, fired. The ball crashed through the skull, and the physician states that she will die. Henning then fired a bullet through his own head and fell dead. The cause of the tragedy is not known, but the loved one of John S. Pellers, which was not reciprocated, is given as the most probable cause.

Supposed Train Robber's Crime.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 10.—News reached here of a supposed attempt at train robbery made to-night on the Iron Mountain railway, one mile south of Newport, Ark. Two men got on the train there between the baggage car and smoker. A fight ensued between them and Baggage Master Jarrett and the colored porter, Andy Crittenden, in which the latter was killed and the former wounded. One of the men jumped from the train and escaped, but the passengers and train men, among whom was a detective, captured the murderer a little after midnight. He gave his name as S. A. Whitfield, of Baxter county, this state. He is about 21 years old and says his partner was Mike Sanders, who escaped. They were out of money and were only trying to beat their way home. Whitfield had been heavily armed and his every appearance shows him to be a border desperado.

Those Brutal Hungarians.

CONNEYSVILLE, Ark., Aug. 10.—The Hungarians have another raid this morning on the Moyer coke plant and drove the workmen off. Squire Duncan and Officer Franks and Shunn attempted to arrest fifteen of the rioters, when they were set upon by a mob. Duncan was terribly beaten and left for dead. Shunn and Franks escaped. The sheriff will organize a posse this afternoon to arrest the rioters.

NOT A LIFE GIVER.

The Brown-Square Elxir Dr. Hammond Says is a Tonic.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 10.—A special from Washington gives an interview with Dr. Hammond relative to the Brown-Square elxir of life. The doctor declares the sensational publications about this new preparation were not authorized or justified in any way. He asserted the new remedy was believed to be of the nature of a tonic, especially, it was thought would be beneficial, especially to old people. He denounced the foolish story that it was something that was going to prolong life indefinitely; or restore old people to youth. Neither he nor Brown-Square had ever called it the elxir of life.

Death of Robert Tingley.

FORT BENSON, Aug. 10.—[Special to the Independent.]—Robert S. Tingley, of the firm of Tinley Brothers, large cattle owners in northern Montana, died in this city this afternoon, as the result of a fall from a wagon, near Big Sandy. The deceased was one of the old-timers in this section, having been one of the first white men to establish himself in the territory, and has been identified with the cattle industry in western Dakota and Montana for a number of years.

Sending Cattle East.

GREAT FALLS, Aug. 10.—[Special to the Independent.]—Preparations for heavy shipments of cattle from this section are now in progress, and forty-two cars were shipped from Culbertson, north of here, yesterday morning. The ranges will be cleared of all surplus stock before snow flies. A party of Canadian buyers is here making large purchases of horses for northern markets.

Reagan and Stewart on Silver.

BUTTE, Aug. 10.—[Special to the Independent.]—A mass meeting was held at the court house this evening at which Senators Reagan, of Texas, and Stewart, of Nevada, addressed a large audience on the silver question. Both are ardent advocates of unlimited coinage. Their remarks were received with enthusiasm.

The Fire Record.

HAMMOND, Ind., Aug. 10.—The packing house of Geo. H. Hammond & Son burned this morning. Loss \$300,000.